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1. REFTEL REPORTS POSSIBLE DEMONSTRATION TOMORROW. NON ESSENTIAL STAFF WILL BE KEPT OUT OF EMBASSY AT HILTON HOTEL NEARBY BUT SAFE DISTANCE FROM EMBASSY.
IF DEMONSTRATION MATERIALIZES PERSONNEL IN EMBASSY (EXCLUDING INTERNAL DEFENSE TEAM) WILL BE MOVED TO THIRD FLOOR CCC AREA. WHILE THIS IS NOT TRUE VAULT, IT IS MOST PROTECTED AREA IN BUILDING. THREE RSOS AND MARINES TONIGHT HELD INTERNAL DEFENSE DRILL. EACH MAN FAMILIAR WITH HIS ROLE AND NEED FOR DISCIPLINED REACTION TO ANY DEMONSTRATION. DEFENSE PROBLEM AGGRAVATED BY AVAILABILITY OF ONLY 14 TEAR GAS GRENADES. GAS WILL BE USED ONLY TO FLOOD INSIDE GROUND FLOOR AREA SHOULD DEMONSTRATORS SUCCEED IN ENTERING BUILDING.

2. NATIONAL GUARD CAPTAIN IN CHARGE OF GOC SECURITY PERSONNEL AT EMBASSY HAS ADVISED THAT HIS MEN HAVE BEEN TOLD OF POSSIBLE DEMONSTRATION AND ISSUED INSTRUCTIONS TO PROTECT THE EMBASSY APPARENTLY USING WHATEVER LEVEL OF FORCE NECESSARY.
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OUR UNDERSTANDING IS THAT THIS INCLUDES FIRING ON THE

DEMONSTRATORS SHOULD THIS BE ONLY MEANS TO CONTROL THEM. RSOS WILL
DISCUSS WITH CAPTAIN SPECIFICS OF DEPLOYMENT OF HIS MEN AND
CAUTION HIM TO BE EXCEPTIONALLY CAREFUL TO USE ONLY SUFFICIENT
AMOUNT OF FORCE ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY TO CONTROL CROWD. WE
ALSO ASK HIM TO BE PREPARED TO QUIET SNIPER FIRE.

3. ALL VEHICLES BUT THOSE NEEDED FOR EMERGENCY EVACUATION OF
ANY PERSONNEL FROM EMBASSY HAVE BEEN MOVED AWAY FROM EMBASSY.
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